## Amendments to the claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

## **Listing of Claims:**

- 1. (cancel)
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- 3. (cancel)
- 4. (cancel)
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- 6. (Cancel)
- 7. (new) A method for purifying a product comprising:

performing a flash chromatography process by:

introducing an eluent with at least one product to be purified into a flash chromatography column pre-filled with a spherical and porous silica gel having particle size between 3 and 45 µm and pores between 30 and 300Å;

causing the eluent to flow through the pre-filled column; and

obtaining a separation of the at least one product to be purified.

- 8. (New) The method of purifying a product of Claim 7 wherein the flash chromatography column contains between 10 mg to 1 kg of the spherical and porous silica gel.
- 9. (New) The method for purifying a product according to claim 7 wherein the flash chromatography column is adapted to purify synthetic products in quantities comprised between 10 mg to 100 g.
- 10. (new) A method for purifying a product comprising:

performing a flash chromatography process by:

introducing an eluent with at least one product to be purified into a flash chromatography column pre-filled with a semi-spherical and porous silica gel having particle size between 3 and 45 µm and pores between 30 and 300Å;

causing the eluent to flow through the pre-filled column; and

obtaining a separation of the at least one product to be purified.

- 11. (New) The method for purifying a product of Claim 10 wherein the flash chromatography column contains between 10 mg to 1 kg of the semispherical and porous silica gel.
- 12. (New) The method for purifying a product according to claim 10 wherein the flash chromatography column is adapted to purify synthetic products in quantities comprised between 10 mg to 100 g.
- 13. (new) A pre-filled flash chromatography column for purifying a product, comprising

a plastic tube or syringe body; and

spherical and porous silica gel having particle size between 3 and 45 µm and pores between 30 and 300Å placed inside the plastic tube or syringe body.

- 14. (New) The pre-filled flash chromatography column according to Claim 13 wherein the flash chromatography column contains between 10 mg to 1 kg of the spherical and porous silica gel.
- 15. (New) The pre-filled flash chromatography column according to claim 13 adapted to purify synthetic products in quantities comprised between 10 mg to 100 g.
- 16. (new) A pre-filled flash chromatography column for purifying a product, comprising

a plastic tube or syringe body; and

semi-spherical and porous silica gel having particle size between 3 and 45  $\mu$ m and pores between 30 and 300Å placed inside the plastic tube or syringe body.

- 17. (New) The pre-filled flash chromatography column according to Claim 16 wherein the flash chromatography column contains between 10 mg to 1 kg of the semispherical and porous silica gel.
- 18. (New) The pre-filled flash chromatography column according to claim 16 adapted to purify synthetic products in quantities comprised between 10 mg to 100 g.
- 19. (new) A pre-filled flash chromatography column for purifying a product, comprising

a low-pressure glass tube or syringe body; and spherical and porous silica gel having particle size between 3 and 45 μm and pores between 30 and 300Å placed inside the flash chromatography tube.

- 20. (New) The method of purifying a product of Claim 19 wherein the flash chromatography column contains between 10 mg to 1 kg of the spherical and porous silica gel.
- 21. (New) The pre-filled flash chromatography column according to claim 19 adapted to purify synthetic products in quantities comprised between 10 mg to 100 g.
- 22. (new) A pre-filled flash chromatography column for purifying a product, comprising

a low-pressure glass tube or syringe body; and semi-spherical and porous silica gel having particle size between 3 and 45 μm and pores between 30 and 300Å placed inside the flash chromatography tube.

- 23. (New) The method of purifying a product of Claim 22 wherein the flash chromatography column contains between 10 mg to 1 kg of the semi-spherical and porous silica gel.
- 24. (New) The pre-filled flash chromatography column according to claim 22 adapted to purify synthetic products in quantities comprised between 10 mg to 100 g.